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1. AFTER SENDING REFERENCE (B), EMBASSY CAME ACROSS ITEM RELATING TO MEDICAL SCHOOLIN MONTSERRAT IN CARIBISSUES, A MONTHLY SUMMARY OF NEWS FROM THE ENGLISH-SPEAKING CARIBBEAN. THIS SUMMARY CREDITED THE ITEM TOTHE MONTSERRAT MIRROR OF APRIL 28, 1978.

2. ITEM IN CARIBISSUES READS AS FOLLOWS: "MEDICAL SCHOOL IN MONTSERRAT-DR. PAUL TIEN OF BOSTON, USA AND THE MONTSERRAT GOVERNMENT HAVE ANNOUNCED THE LAUNCHING OF THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY OF THE CARIBBEAN SCHOOL OF MEDICINE WHICH WILL OFFICIALLY COME INTO EXISTENCE LATER THIS YEAR. THE SCHOOL WILL USE THE OLD GLENDON HOSPITAL BUILDING UNTIL THE CAMPUS IS CONSTRUCTED IN AUGUST 1979. ACCORDING TO DR. TIEN, THE SCHOLL IS BEINGBUILT IN MONTSERRAT BECAUSE THERE ARE LIMITED PLACEMENTS IN AMERICAN MEDICAL SCHOOLS AND THERE IS NO IMMEDIATE HOPE OF EXPANSION BY THE AUTHORITIES THERE. THE SCHOOL WILLOPEN WITH ABOUT 200 FIRST YEAR STUDENTS AND WILL EVENTUALLY ACCOMMODATE 1500 STUDENTS. FACULTY MEMBERS WILL
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3. EMBASSY WILL ATTEMPT TO REPORT MORE DEFINITIVELY WHEN REPLY IS RECEIVED TO OURLETTER TO PERMANENT SECRETARY JAMES WALKER OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH, EDUCATION AND WELFARE OF MONTSERRAT. SEE REFTEL(B).
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